

2027 REGIONAL DIVISION BREAKDOWN

Starting with the 2026-2027 season (The 2027 Regional Tournaments), teams will be divided into 3 division based on CSR rankings. These qualifying CSR rankings will be evaluated and corrected (if necessary) each year after the tournaments.

For 2027, there will be NO lady's division – simply 3 Divisions: Division 1, Division 2, and Division 3. The ladies team numbers will be evaluated as most women's CSR rankings are lower than men's, and going straight off of CSR rankings, the women's teams might be placed in an incorrect division. This too will be evaluated and corrected as necessary.

This is a "WORK IN PROGRESS". I am sure there will be many questions and concerns regarding these numbers. Feel free to present questions, comments, and suggestions. But let's keep all of these friendly and helpful!!!

To calculate your team's CSR ranking, look at every CSR ranking of every player on your team roster. Take the top 5 highest CSR rankings and add them together. This will determine your league's placement. (CSR "frozen" date will be the Monday prior to December 15th (for the 2027 tournament, the "freeze" date will be December 14, 2026).

CSR Rankings

<i>Division 1</i>	<i>8550 CSR total and up</i>
<i>Division 2</i>	<i>8100-8549 CSR total</i>
<i>Division 3</i>	<i>Up to 8099 CSR total</i>

Regional tournament dates

- Jan 15-17, 2027 Scotch Doubles *** Jr -Sr Scotch Doubles
- Jan 22-24, 2027 Division 1
- Jan 29-31, 2027 Division 2
- Feb 05-07, 2027 Division 3
- Feb 12-14, 2027 Invitational

Regional Tournament Rules

1. Players must be sanctioned and have 4 nights and at least 12 games of play on one team as of December 31st to be eligible for the main Friday night singles (this includes Ladies weekend main Open), team and Scotch doubles events. Anyone can play in any of the minis. Any person under the age of 21 can participate in the Junior/Senior Scotch doubles.
2. Regional division team rankings will be determined by the team CSR rankings. CSR rankings will be frozen the Monday prior to December 15th every year.
3. Floating/open subs may play in the regional tournaments based on the following criteria:
 - A. ONLY if a team is going to have to play short
 - B. AND only as long as they meet weeks/games played requirements.
 - C. The CSR of the sub must keep the team in the current division.
 - D. Each sub is permitted ONLY 1 regional tournament per league they play in.
4. Summer league qualifications:
 - A. Must be a minimum of 6 teams.
 - B. Must play a minimum of 24 weeks (2 times per week for 12 weeks)
 - C. Must pay the required fees for the Association based on the 24 weeks times 5 players per team (no matter how many players are on the actual team) times the regional weekly rater (\$1.00 per player per week for 2027)
5. Singles Tournament rules:
 - A. CSR rankings will be used to determine what division a player qualifies for.
 - B. Any player can go UP a division, but cannot go DOWN.
 - C. If you place 1st or 2nd OR if you split AT ANY POINT in a main singles (this excludes the main OPEN singles of Scotch doubles weekend), you will not be permitted to play in any future main singles. However, you may play in as many minis as you would like.
 - D. For the OPEN singles of Scotch doubles weekend, any Pioneer Vending sanctioned player may play.
 - E. For the singles of Division 1, 2, and 3: All requirements of Rule #1 apply.
 - F. Minis will be held at any available opportunity throughout the 5 weekends. Anyone is eligible to play in a mini tournament. There are no vendor or sanctioning requirements.
6. Division 1, 2 and 3 will have an optional \$25.00 side pot. Side pot must **BE PAID AND TURNED IN WITH** your Regional Registration form.